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SUBJECT: LOCAL PRESS REACTION TO CHILEAN COUP

1. ALL THESSALONIKI PAPERS SEPT 14 CARRIED CHILEAN COUP REPORTAGE AS LEADING FRONT PAGE ITEMS. HEADLINES RAN "VIOLENT INTERNATIONAL REACTION AGAINST COUP OF GENERALS IN CHILE: ALLENDE MURDERED OR SUICIDE: CIVIL WAR IN CHILE INEVITABLE, ACCORDING TO BRANDT".
2. "MAKEDONIA" (LIBERAL, OPPOSITION) ALONE HEADLINED AND PUBLISHED REPORT OF ACCUSATIONS OF CIA INTERVENTION.
3. ONLY EDITORIAL OBSERVATION WAS BRIEF COMMENTARY BY "ELLINIKOS VORRAS" (CONSERVATIVE? PRO-GOG) SENIOR EDITOR KYROU TO EFFECT THAT "EUROPEAN SOCIALISTS" SADDENED BY OVERTHROW OF MARXIST PRESIDENT, ALLENDE, BUT DID THEY EXPECT WESTERN HEMISPHERE TO SIT TIGHT AND "WAIT TO BE CAPTURED BY COMMUNISTS?" THIS COULD NEVER HAPPEN, WRITES KYROU, IT IS BAD ENOUGH THAT CASTRO IS TOLERATED TO REMAIN IN POWER "BECAUSE OF AMERICAN NAIVETE".
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